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Amendments to the Claims:

This listing will replace all prior versions, and listings, of claims in the application:

Listing of Claims:

Claim 1 (currently amended): A peptide or its derivative having anti-angiogenic functionality of the structure:

Arg-Asn-Pro-Asp-Gly-Asp-Ile-Asn-Gly-Pro-Trp (hereinafter referred to as {4}),

or

Trp-Pro-Gly-Asn-Ile-Asp-Gly-Asp-Pro-Asn-Arg (hereinafter referred to as {4'}),

or

Tyr-Thr-Met-Asn-Pro-Arg-Lys-Leu-Phe-Asp-Tyr (hereinafter referred to as {5}),

or

Tyr-Asp-Phe-Leu-Lys-Arg-Pro-Asn-Met-Thr-Tyr (hereinafter referred to as {5'}),

or

X-{4}-Y

or

X-{4'}-Y

or

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X-{5}-Y

or

X-{5'}-Y

or

X-{4}-Ala-{5}-Y

or

X-{4'}-Ala-{5'}-Y

or

X-{5}-Ala-{4}-Y

or

~~X-{5}-Ala-{4}-Y~~ X-{5'}-Ala-{4'}-Y

or

X-{4}-Cys-{5'}-Y

or

X-{4'}-Cys-{5'}-Y

or

X-{5}-Cys-{4}-Y

or

X-{5'}-Cys-{4'}-Y

or

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$X-\{4\}-(\text{Gly-Gly-Gly-Ser})_n-\{5\}-Y$

or

$X-\{4'\}-(\text{Gly-Gly-Gly-Ser})_n-\{5'\}-Y$

or

$X-\{5\}-(\text{Gly-Gly-Gly-Ser})_n-\{4\}-Y$

or

$\text{Cys}-\{4\}-\text{Ala}-\{5\}-\text{Cys}$

or

$\text{Cys}-\{4'\}-\text{Ala}-\{5'\}-\text{Cys}$

or

$\text{Cys}-\{5\}-\text{Ala}-\{4\}-\text{Cys}$

or

$\text{Cys}-\{5'\}-\text{Ala}-\{4'\}-\text{Cys}$

or

$\text{Ala}-\{4\}-\text{Ala}-\{5\}-\text{Ala}$

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or

Ala-{4'}-Ala-{5'}-Ala

or

Ala-{5'}-Ala-{4'}-Ala

or

Ala-{5'}-Ala-{4'}-Ala

wherein the sequence of amino acids is written from the N-terminus (on the left) to the C-terminus (on the right);

wherein X is Acetyl group or other customary N-terminal protecting groups;

wherein y is amine, ethylamine, or other customary C-terminal protecting groups;

wherein n= 1 to 3.

Claim 2 (currently amended): A pharmaceutical composition comprising at least one or a plurality of said ~~peptide~~ peptides or ~~its~~ peptide derivatives ~~in~~ of claim 1.

Claim 3 (currently amended): ~~Said A~~ A peptide or its derivative ~~in~~ according to claim ~~1~~ 1, wherein at least one or a plurality of amino acids of said peptide or derivative is ~~are~~ in a D-form.

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Claim 4 (currently amended): A pharmaceutical composition comprising ~~one or a plurality~~ at least one of said ~~peptide or its~~ peptides or derivatives in of claim 3.

Claim 5 (currently amended): Said A peptide or its derivative in according to claim 1, wherein one amino acid is removed, replaced, or added to said peptide or derivative to form a new molecule.

Claim 6 (currently amended): A pharmaceutical ~~products~~ produce comprising at least one or a plurality of said ~~peptide~~ peptides or its derivatives in of claim 5.

Claim 7 (currently amended): ~~Said A~~ A peptide or its derivative in according to claim 1, wherein either the ~~a~~ C-terminal protecting group or the ~~an~~ N-terminal protecting group is removed ~~if there is~~ any: from the peptide or derivative.

Claim 8 (currently amended): A pharmaceutical product comprising ~~one or a plurality~~ at least one of said ~~peptide or its derivative in~~ peptides or derivatives of claim 7.

Claim 9 (original): A method for the treatment of diseases related to angiogenesis by administering to a patient a therapeutic amount of said peptides or its derivatives in claim 1.

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Claim 10 (original): The method in claim 9 wherein said diseases comprises lung cancer, liver cancer, brain cancer, colon cancer, impairment of vision induced by late-stage diabetes, and other diseases related to angiogenesis.

Claim 11 (original): A method for the treatment of diseases related to angiogenesis by administering to a patient a pharmaceutical composition comprising of said peptides or its derivatives in claim 1.

Claim 12 (original): The method in claim 11 wherein said diseases comprises lung cancer, liver cancer, brain cancer, colon cancer, impairment of vision induced by late-stage diabetes, and other diseases related to angiogenesis.